

## ALEXANDRIA GETTING READY FOR UNVEILING

Colonial Dames to Dedicate Marker on Route Taken by General Braddock.

ALEXANDRIA, May 24.—Colonial Dames from all parts of Virginia will begin to arrive here tomorrow for the unveiling of the marker at the commencement of the route taken by General Braddock in 1755 to Fort Duquesne. The unveiling will take place on Wednesday at 3 o'clock. The visitors will be entertained at luncheon by Miss Rose McDonald, and at the close of the exercises Mrs. Mary G. Powell and her daughter, Mrs. Louis N. Scott, will give a reception.

The Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, will ask a blessing at the unveiling and the address of welcome will be made by Miss Helen Cummings, president of the Alexandria committee of the Colonial Dames. The work of the Braddock road committee will be explained by Mrs. Benjamin Purcell, of Richmond, chairman of the State committee in charge of the movement. The cannon which is used in the construction of the marker will be presented by Mrs. James Lyons, of Richmond, acting for Mrs. William Ruffin Cox, president of the Colonial Dames of Virginia. Mayor Thomas A. Fisher will accept the monument on behalf of the city. The principal address will be made by Assistant Attorney General Samuel Graham.

Little Caroline Morton and Courtney Cochran will draw the cords which will unveil the marker. Benediction will be pronounced by the Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, of the Theological Seminary.

A slight fire was extinguished last night at the house of Henry Fady.

Ernest D. Lambert, sixty-five, son of the late Benjamin H. Lambert, a former resident of Alexandria, died on Thursday, at his home in Oakland, Cal. The body will be brought here.

Fire was discovered yesterday in the old Hallowell Public School building. It is believed that the fire was started by five small boys who were playing in the basement. The stairway into the cellar was burned, but otherwise the building was not damaged.

Funeral services for Mrs. Laura J. Plerson were held today from the residence near Arlington.

## Concerts Today

By United States Marine Band, Marine Barracks, at 4:30 p. m.

WILLIAM H. SANTELMANN, Leader.

March, "Staunch and True" ...Telke  
Overture, "The Beautiful Galatea" ...Suppe  
Suite, "A Day in Venice" ...Nevin  
(a) Dawn  
(b) The Gondoliers  
(c) Venetian Love Song  
(d) Good Night

"Scar Dance" ...Chaminade  
(a) Fox-trot, "Meadowbrook" ...Kraus  
(b) One-step, "Chinatown, My Chinatown" ...Schwartz  
Waltz, "On the Beautiful Rhine" ...Keler-Bela

Excerpts from "Naughty Marietta" ...Herbert  
Marine's Hymn, "The Halls of Montezuma" ...Herbert  
"The Star-Spangled Banner" ...Herbert

By U. S. Soldiers' Home Band, Bandstand, at 6:40 p. m.

JOHN S. M. ZIMMERMANN, Director.

March, "The Washington Post" ...Souza  
Overture, "The Amazon" ...Kleiser  
Song for Cornet, "The Lost Chord" ...Sullivan

Musical W. T. Davis.  
Selection, "Oh, Oh, Delphine" ...Caryl  
Fox Trot, "My Bird of Paradise" ...Berlin

Medley Overture, "Remicks" Hits No. 15" ...Lampo  
(The latest)  
Waltz Suite, "Espana" ...Waldteufel  
Finale, "I'm On My Way to Dublin Bay" ...Murphy

"The Star-Spangled Banner" ...Murphy  
The Concerts of the United States Soldiers' Home Band will begin at 6:40 o'clock this evening and will be given at the same hour on every Monday, Wednesday and Friday throughout the summer season.

## Funerals

Thomas F. Hering.

Funeral services for Thomas F. Hering will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock at the residence, 29 Quincy place.

Hugh Hollis.

Funeral services for Hugh Hollis were held this morning at the residence, 208 Fourteenth street, the Rev. Father Curley, of St. Paul's parish, officiating. Interment was private.

Funeral of C. B. Beall To Be Held Tomorrow

Funeral services for Charles B. Beall, aged seventy-one years, an employee of the United States Supreme Court for nearly half a century, who died Saturday evening at his home, 1255 Irving street, will be held at Foundry M. E. Church tomorrow afternoon at 2. Interment will be in Glenwood cemetery. Mr. Beall is survived by two sons, W. O. Beall and Dr. Charles M. Beall, and a daughter, Mrs. R. Edwin Joyce.

Major Pullman to Attend Police Chiefs' Session

Major Raymond W. Pullman will leave Washington for Cincinnati tonight to attend the annual convention of the International Association of Police Chiefs.

One of the important things to be done at the convention will be the election of a president of the association, a place filled for many years by Major Richard Sylvester.

Held Under \$2,000 Bond On Embezzlement Charge

J. Oden Turner, charged with the embezzlement of \$125 belonging to J. Walter Farran, 335 Maryland avenue, northeast, was held by Judge Pugh in Police Court today to await the action of the grand jury.

Bond was fixed at \$2,000. He was arrested by Detective Berman.

## ANACOSTIA.

John Burke, United States Treasurer, will speak at the memorial exercises to be held at the Government Hospital for the Insane next Sunday at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, U. S. W. Veterans.

Commander Weber and J. A. Costello will open the ceremonies, and an address of welcome will be delivered by William A. White. There will be special music, recitations, and other features.

On Sunday morning at 9 the graves at the hospital will be decorated.

Salem Lodge, No. 22, I. O. O. F., has invited members of other lodges in the district to attend its meeting next Thursday night, when the degree team will confer a degree.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. W. Brown, of Prosser, N. J., are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Weber at their home, 224 Thirtieth street, on their way from Miami, Fla., where they motored for the winter.

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## CENTRAL CITIZENS WANT BARS TO STAY

Resolutions Opposing "Dry" Washington Unanimously Passed by Association.

Resolutions opposing a "dry" Washington and authorizing its delegate to the Federation of Citizens Associations to present the protest against abolition of regulated saloons from the Capital were unanimously passed by the Central Citizens' Association at the North Capitol Savings Bank yesterday.

The unanimous opinion of the association was against any legislation that would change or alter the present excise law. Dr. James J. Kilroy will present the resolution to the federation at the next meeting.

James S. Dugan, who introduced the "wet" resolution, also declared that the Collector of Taxes is working an injustice upon the saloon men forced out of business by the present excise law last November by compelling them to pay tax on their personal property for the entire fiscal year, whereas they were in business less than a year.

A resolution urging Congress to empower the Public Utilities Commission to prepare a bill for the regulation of accidents and make this information available to injured persons seeking damages was passed.

McNamara, who favored the resolution, said the Public Utilities Commission, being the representative of the public dealing with the companies, should rightfully furnish this information. The resolution will be presented to the Commissioners and to Congress.

Washington Clergymen At Lutheran Conference

Four Washington clergymen, and L. Russell Alden, a lay delegate, are attending the sessions of the General Synod of the Lutheran Church in Akron, Ohio, this week.

The Rev. John T. Huddle, of St. Paul's, will conduct the devotional hour at this evening at the third convocation of the Federal Council of Lutheran Brotherhoods, which precedes the synod's convention. The Rev. Luther Heas Waring is a delegate and the Rev. Dr. John Weidley, of the Church of the Reformation, represents the National Lutheran Home for the Aged, of which he is president.

Among the speakers at the brotherhood convention will be Gov. Frank B. Willis, active in church work near when he was in Congress, and former Senator Charles Dick.

Virginia Has Bumper Potato and Onion Crops

Bumper crops of onions and potatoes in Virginia are indicated in the truck crop report just issued by the Department of Agriculture.

It is estimated that the Virginia potato crop will be 65 per cent above normal, and that the onion crop will be 35 per cent above the average of recent years. Other truck crops in Maryland and Virginia are below the seasonal average.

Caruso Gives Up Villa To Italian Red Cross

ROME, May 24.—Enrico Caruso today notified the Italian Red Cross that his villa, Alla Panche, near Florence, is at their disposal during the war.

A similar message came from Giacomo Puccini, the composer, who has a magnificent villa near Milan.

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## LEADEN SKIES FAIL TO FEAZE CADETS

Competitive Drill Will Begin This Afternoon Unless There Is Heavy Rain.

Leaden skies were insufficient today to cause a postponement of the competitive High School Cadet drill, and Assistant Superintendent of Schools Stephen E. Kramer announced that the contest at the American League Baseball Park would begin sharply at 3:30 o'clock, unless there was a downpour.

Business and Central High School companies will have their innings today, and Eastern, Tech, and Western High Schools will be represented tomorrow, making six companies each day. Tomorrow's program will start at 3 o'clock.

A record-breaking crowd is expected at the park this afternoon, as the rivalry between the companies was never keener. Many will be on hand to witness the exhibition of Company E, of Business High, winner of the flag last year and one of the strongest contenders this year.

The first drill will be by Company G, of Business, and Company E, of Business, and B. A. and M. Central. The order of tomorrow's drills will be Companies F, Eastern, K, D, and C, McKinley, H. Western, and L, McKinley.

Each of the schools represented has been apportioned a section of seats in the grandstand, and each of these sections will be a riot of color as well as a riot of sound. Each contingent will be armed with ribbons and pennants, and the various cheers run the entire scale of atmospheric agitation.

The judges will be three officers of the United States Army. All of the members of the Board of Education and practically all of the high school teachers will be present.

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In States where the minimum wage legislation has been placed in operation, the department report adds, the prosperity of the working class has been raised, "averaging" has been reduced, the wages of women and girls raised, and the law tends to equalize the cost of production or sale among manufacturers and merchants.

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\$1.00 To Harpers Ferry, \$1.25 Martinsburg, \$1.50 Berkeley Springs and 12 to Cumberland and return, Baltimore and Ohio Sunday, May 30, from Union Station 8:25 a. m. Returning same day. —Advt.

Arcade Opens Roller Skating Season Today

Beginning today at 2 p. m. the Arcade offers its patrons of roller skating new and novel events. There will be roller skating matinees daily from 2 to 5:30 o'clock. The price will be 15 cents for admission and skates.

Tonight Prof. Harrison, who succeeds C. E. Hunt as manager, will offer a boys' race and also an Australian pursuit race. Tomorrow night will be the old favorite "Box Party," which will bring prizes to the lucky couples, and create fun and amusement for the spectators. Wednesday night will bring out some fast time in a one-mile race between four well-known boys.

Thursday night will be the big night of the week, when Prof. Harrison will present his big "Obstacle Party" on rollers. This should be a big drawing card, as all the Arcade patrons are familiar with the rules. As an added attraction on Thursday night, Lyman Moore will meet all comers in a one-mile handicap. Friday night will follow with a boys' amateur race, and Saturday night will find the lovers of roller skating traveling out Fourteenth street to the biggest and finest conducted auditorium south of New York.

There has been a change in prices, to the spectators. The admission is 10 cents, while patrons skating will be admitted at 10 cents and furnished with skates for 25 cents.

Swift & Company's sales of beef in Washington, D. C., for the week ending Saturday, May 22, averaged as follows: Domestic beef 11.92 cents per pound. —Advt.

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